

SIUE Construction Leadership Institute Alumni Leadership Award Criteria

The SIUE Construction Leadership Institute and its associated advisory board were established because of a recognized necessity for leadership and management training in St. Louis architectural, construction and engineering businesses. Starting with its founding class of 2004, the Construction Leadership Institute has trained over 625 members of the construction community. In an attempt to recognize outstanding graduates who have made exceptional contributions to the construction community through their leadership, character and hard work, the Construction Leadership Institute Advisory Board has authorized an annual CLI Alumni Leadership Award.

Construction Leadership Institute Alumni Leadership Award recipients will have achieved a level of professionalism and community excellence that brings distinction and honor to themselves and the Institute's alumni. The Construction Leadership Institute's criteria for selection are as follows:

1. One (1) alumnus/alumna will be selected annually. The Selection Committee also may choose to induct posthumously.
2. Nominations must be submitted by January 30, 2026. Nominations are made by completing and returning the nomination form available on the CLI website – www.siu.edu/cli.
3. Selection is based on exceptional a) professional accomplishments; and b) community and public service.
4. Current officers or members of the Construction Leadership Institute's Advisory Board are not eligible for this award.
5. The recipient must attend the award ceremony that shall be held during the final week of the 2026 Construction Leadership Institute on Friday, March 6, 2026.